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When we hear the word 'Ganeshotsav' first name comes in our mind is Lokmanya Balgangadhar Tilak. To earn independence and also to make our nation free from the british rule that is to establish Swarajya , he had taken many efforts but now its in hands of young generation to make our country developed from developing stage and establish Surajya. This year Ganeshotsav Mandal celebrated the festival of Ganeshotsav by giving the same message , showing the Journey from Swarajya to Surajya and attempted to show how can we establish Surajya.

This year it was 77th year of Podar Ganeshotsav Mandal. This year also it started by students showing their creativity in different competitions held like rangoli making, poster making, mehendi etc. The topic was patriotism and the students of the college showed good participation in all competitions .

Like every year, for one and half day Lord Ganesha was in campus . The decorations were in line with the decided theme Swarajya to Surajya. The college auditorium was turned into the 'Kesari Vada' i.e. Lokmanya Tilak's home place. On the first day Lord Ganesha's idol was brought in the college with the traditional 'Dhol-tasha'. This was followed by pooja and aarti was done after which many devotees came to take blessings from Ganesha. On second day cultural events were held in the college based on the theme. Students showcased their talent in fields like drama , singing , dance which won the hearts of present audience. After the program, Mahaprasad was arranged for everyone.

After Mahaprasad, it was time for Ganesha's visarjan. This year the Ganesha idol brought was made of natural glue and paper which causes least possible harm to environment. Even the visarjan was done in the campus itself in eco-friendly way.